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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9 AT SEATTLE

10 HORACE G. FRIEND,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL,

14 Defendant.

CASE NO. C21-5566JLR

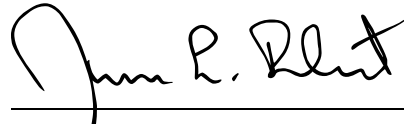
ORDER

15 Before the court is Teresita Friend's proposed motion for leave to proceed in  
16 forma pauperis ("IFP"). (Mot. (Dkt. # 19).) Ms. Friend, however, is not a party to this  
17 case. (*See generally* Dkt. (listing Horace G. Friend as the plaintiff in this case); Am.  
18 Compl. (Dkt. # 8) (same).) Additionally, this court entered a final judgment dismissing  
19 Plaintiff Horace G. Friend's complaint on October 6, 2021, and the Clerk subsequently  
20 closed this case. (*See* Judgment (Dkt. # 14); Dkt.)

21 Accordingly, the court DENIES Ms. Friend's proposed motion to proceed IFP  
22 (Dkt. # 19). To the extent that Ms. Friend wishes to commence her own case, the court

1 directs her to follow the steps outlined in the pro se litigant guide on this court's website:  
2 [https://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/sites/wawd/files/ProSeGuidetoFilingYourLawsuitinFede](https://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/sites/wawd/files/ProSeGuidetoFilingYourLawsuitinFederalCourt.pdf)  
3 [ralCourt.pdf](https://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/sites/wawd/files/ProSeGuidetoFilingYourLawsuitinFederalCourt.pdf). The court DIRECTS the Clerk to send a copy of this order to Ms. Friend.

4 Dated this 12th day of August, 2022.

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7 JAMES L. ROBART  
8 United States District Judge  
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